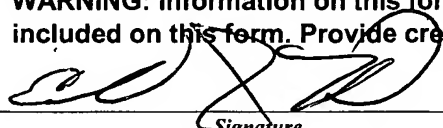
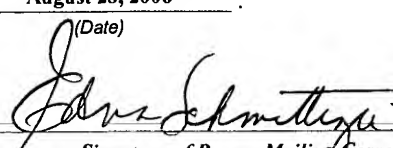
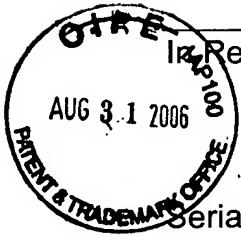


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Dear Sir:

Response to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2006 in the above-identified patent application is timely due September 7, 2006. Accordingly, the present response is deemed to be timely filed. Should there be any fees due and owing with respect to this amendment and response, the Office is authorized to charge such fees to deposit account no. 50-3208.

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